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Jessamine, Fla., Aug 7 1891

Prof Samuel Watson
 Cambridge Mass
 Dear Sir

With this mail we forward you a plant belonging to the Arrow-head family which we would be pleased to have you identify.

The plant as you will see is rather dwarf, twelve to fifteen inches, bloom composed of three petals and has yellow centre. It increases very rapidly, there being now some twenty plants from five bulbs which were put out June 15th.

Should you recognize the plant your convenient reply will oblige

Very truly
 W. J. Ellsworth

The increase is by means of a small rhizome which creeps along the soil underneath the water and forms plants at short intervals